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1 to prepare his defense in this case. At the same time that it demands Defendants be held to 2 the Scheduling Order, the government continues to deploy delay tactics to further avoid its 3 own compliance, and its request for an extension of time to respond to Mr. Larkin's Motion 4 to Compel Compliance is just the latest example. Where the government offers no good cause 5 for its need for an extension, and where Mr. Larkin depends upon judicial review for relief from the harm he is suffering as a result of the government's actions, he respectfully requests 6 7 that the Court deny the government's motion at Doc. No. 675 regarding the government's 8 deadline for response to the Motion to Compel Compliance. 9 Mr. Larkin does not oppose the government's requested extension of time from July 10 16, 2019 to July 19, 2019 to file its separate and distinct Reply in Support of its Motion at Doc. No. 658. 11 12 Respectfully submitted, 13 14 DATED: July 10, 2018 BIENERT | KATZMAN PC 15 /s/ Whitney Z. Bernstein 16 Whitney Z. Bernstein Thomas H. Bienert, Jr. 17

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